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THE PHILADELPHIA SEED CO.

INCORPORATED

WHOLESALE SEED MERCHANTS
 OFFICE AND SEED CLEANING PLANT
 103-105 ARCH STREET
 PHILADELPHIA

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 THE PHILADELPHIA SEED CO., INC.
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**CURRENT MARKET
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 DO NOT DELAY**

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THE PHILADELPHIA SEED CO.

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WHOLESALE

FIELD THE FINEST OF THE CROP SEEDS



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TELEPHONES
BELL, MARKET 28-25
BELL, MARKET 28-26
BELL, MARKET 28-24
KEYSTONE, MAIN 56-29
—LONG DISTANCE—
PHILADELPHIA L. D. 241

103-105 ARCH STREET

PHILADELPHIA, JAN. 5, 1929.

The following statistics have recently been made available by the Government. We will be glad to make a report in greater detail than is here possible, upon written request.

ALFALFA: 1928 crop 591,500 bushels, compared with 851,400 bushels during 1927. The crop, however, in Utah is only about one-half that of last year, while the Idaho crop is less than one-third of last year. It will be evident that the greatest shortage has occurred in the most important States, from the viewpoint of adaptability. Inasmuch as a large part of the Alfalfa seed production from the Northwest comes from these two States it will be noted that the Northwestern grown seed crop is actually about half the crop of a year ago.

RED CLOVER AND ALSYKE: "Red and Alsike seed production in 1928 of 1,106,000 bushels is 36% below the production of 1,727,000 bushels in 1927. Acreage in every one of the Central States in 1928 was below last year, due to extensive winter

killing in the winter of 1927-28." Latest reports from Europe indicate a large crop of fine quality Red Clover will be available. Prices on Imported Red Clover will be more attractive than was expected earlier in the season. No separate figures are available on Alsike from the important Canadian producing sections, but crop of Alsike in Canada is unquestionably short, estimated not more than one-half last year's crop.

SWEET CLOVER: Production is estimated at 1,013,600 bushels compared with 1,224,000 bushels in 1927.

OTHER FIELD SEED ITEMS: If interested in detailed report on Timothy, Redtop, Bluegrass, Soja Beans, Seed Grains, etc., will be glad to pass along information coming to us.

Prices quoted below are today's values f.o.b. Philadelphia. Samples sent promptly upon request. Bags not returnable. Upon request we can supply our seeds packed in 1 bu. bags made of towelling material of first quality. Each bag will make two single towels or one double towel. Seed so packed is invoiced at an advance of 50 cts. per 100 lbs., net weight, bags free.

(1) CLOVERS

ALFALFA

{ 60 LBS. PER BU.
16-20 LBS. PER ACRE }

THE PHILADELPHIA SEED COMPANY AS AUTHORIZED
VERIFIED ORIGIN DEALERS IN ALFALFA OFFER EXCLUSIVELY
BELOW ALFALFA UNDER THE FOLLOWING AUTHORIZATION:



ALFALFA

The records of origin for Alfalfa seed sold by us are kept in accordance with a plan approved by the U. S. Department of Agriculture and are maintained under the supervision of that Department. Under this system

and by special arrangement with that Department we are authorized to issue verified origin seed certificates for such seed, the locality of production of which has been verified by a Federal seed inspector.

PER 100 LBS. PER BU.

NORTHWESTERN GROWN

QUAKER PSC CERTIFIED { U. S. VERIFIED ORIGIN } .. \$27.00 \$16.20

KANSAS-NO. OKLA. GROWN

QUAKER PSC CERTIFIED { U. S. VERIFIED ORIGIN } .. 26.00 15.60

UTAH GROWN

QUAKER PSC CERTIFIED { U. S. VERIFIED ORIGIN } .. 26.00 15.60

WESTERN U. S. GROWN

FREE OF ARIZONA, NEW MEXICAN OR SOUTHERN
GROWN. U. S. VERIFIED ORIGIN.

Puritan	23.00	13.80
Fancy	24.00	14.40
QUAKER	25.00	15.00

GRIMM

QUAKER PSC STATE SEALED

These bags being state sealed, U. S. Verification as to origin is omitted as unnecessary.

2½ bushel bags	42.00	25.20
1 bushel bags	43.00	25.80

QUAKER PSC CERTIFIED GROWERS' AFFIDAVIT

2½ bushel bags	40.00	24.00
1 bushel bags	41.00	24.60

SWEET CLOVER

{ 60 LBS. PER BU.
20-30 LBS. PER ACRE }

WHITE BLOOMING (BIENNIAL)

Extra Fancy	8.50	5.10
Choice	7.50	4.50

NOTE—SWEET CLOVER SHOULD BE INOCULATED

WHITE CLOVER

{ 60 LBS. PER BU.
1/2 LB. PER 1000 SQ. FT. }

Choice	\$26.00
FANCY	98.00%

	27.00
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Note:—For less than full sack lots, note quotations in column 4 of this card.

(2) CLOVERS, TIMOTHY, ETC.

RED CLOVER

{ 60 LBS. PER BU.
10-12 LBS. PER ACRE }

PER
100 LBS. PER BU.

ADAPTABLE (1% Stained Green)

QUAKER
Choice

DOMESTIC MEDIUM

Indian
Puritan
Fancy
QUAKER

DOMESTIC MAMMOTH

Puritan
Fancy
QUAKER

Write
for
Prices.

ALSYKE

{ 60 LBS. PER BU.
8-10 LBS. PER ACRE }

Puritan	31.00	18.60
Fancy	32.00	19.20
QUAKER	33.00	19.80

TIMOTHY

{ 45 LBS. PER BU.
8-12 LBS. PER ACRE }

Indian	98.00%	6.56	2.95
Puritan	99.00%	6.78	3.05
Fancy	99.60%	7.00	3.15
QUAKER	99.75% to 99.90%	7.34	3.30

CRIMSON

{ 60 LBS. PER BU.
15-20 LBS. PER ACRE }

New Crop	12.00	7.20
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RECLEANED MIXTURES

These recleaned mixtures, in proportions indicated, offer an economical means of obtaining a pasture or hay crop.

Timothy (4) Alsike (1)	\$ 9.00
Red Clover (1) Alfalfa (1) Alsike (1)	22.00
Alsike (3) Red Clover (1)	24.00

SEED GRAINS, ETC.**VETCH**

	{ 60 LBS. PER BU. 30-50 LBS. PER ACRE }	PER 100 LBS.
Sand or Hairy		\$ 9.50
Spring, Domestic		4.75
Hungarian		5.00

MILLET

German or Golden	3.40
Hungarian	6.00
Japanese Superfine	6.00
Japanese Choice	5.50

BUCKWHEAT

	{ 48 LBS. PER BU. }
Recleaned Japanese	3.00

RAPE

	56 LBS. PER BU.
Dwarf Essex, Holland grown	6.60

SEED GRAIN

	PER BU.
Spring Rye	2.00
Marquis Spring Wheat	2.25
Durum Spring Wheat	2.25
Oderbrucker Barley	1.15
Six Row Barley	1.15
Northwestern Oats	1.00
Speltz	1.50
Amber Cane	1.80

SEED CORN

LANCASTER SURE CROP..	
Leaming Corn, fodder	
Leaming Corn, selected	
Yellow Dent Corn	
White Ensilage Corn	

Write Prcs.

SWEET CORN

	PER 100 LBS.
Stowell's Evergreen	Write
Golden Bantam	for Prices

SEED POTATOES

	PER 150 LBS.
Certified Cobblers (Maine gr.)	
Canadian Cert. Cobblers	
Selected Cobblers	
Certified Green Mountains	
Select Green Mountains	
Early Rose	
State of Maine	
Certified Michigan Russets	
Spalding Rose	

Write for Prices

ONION SETS

	PER BU.
Yellow Danver	
Spring Shipment	

PEAS and BEANS**SOJA BEANS**SOJA BEANS SHOULD BE INOCULATED.
NOTE PRICES INOCULATION BACK PAGEAPPROX. NO. DAYS TO
PER LB. MATURE† BU.BL'K WILSON
recleaned .. 4200 120to130 2.65BL'K WILSON
country cleaned..... 2.50

Virgna. Brown..... 2.75

Mamth. Yellow 2275 140to145 2.40

†NOTE-The above figures are for maturing in Penna.
Further South maturity takes place from five
to ten days earlier. For hay purposes, crop
may be cut about thirty days earlier.**COW PEAS**Whippoorwils..... { Write for
MIXED COWPEAS ..} Prices**CANADA FIELD PEAS**

Fancy White

3.30

WINTER PEAS

New Crop

GRASSES**RED TOP OR HERD GRASS**

	PER PURITY 100 LBS.
Solid Seed	
Fancy	.90% 16.00
QUAKER	.92% 16.50
Unhulled	
Fancy	9.00
Chaff	5.00

BLUE GRASS

Pure Kentucky	
QUAKER	.21 lb. seed.. 32.00
Fancy	.19 lb. seed.. 31.00

ORCHARD GRASS

Fancy	16.50
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SUDAN GRASS

Fancy	5.25
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PERMANENT PASTURE

For Meadows	\$12.50
For Uplands	12.50

RYE GRASS

Perennial	9.50
Italian	10.00
Pacey's Short Seeded	12.00
Domestic	7.25

MEADOW FESCUE

Fancy	19.00
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MISCELLANEOUS GRASSES

Genuine So. German Bent	65.00
Chewing Fescue	30.00
Sheep Fescue	26.00
Rough Stalk Meadow	35.00
Tall Meadow Oat	12.75
Crested Dogtail	35.00

WHITE CLOVER FOR LAWNS

	PER LB.
Fancy, in 1/4 lb. packages	.35
Fancy, in 1/2 lb. packages	.34
Fancy, in bags 25 lbs. or more	.29

FEED GRAIN**PURGRAIN MIXED FEEDS**

(BAGS INCLUDED)

	PER 100 LBS.
No. 1	3.05
No. 2	3.15
No. 3	3.15
No. 4	3.20
Breeding Feeds	4.05
Special Racing*	5.00

SCRATCH FEEDS

No. 1 (with corn)	2.50
North American	2.65

CHICK FEEDS

No. 1 Starter (with corn)	2.60
No. 1 Developer	2.60

PEAS

	(BAGS 12C EACH)
Canada (Selected)	4.75
Canada (Extra Fancy)	5.50
New Zealand Maple Peas	5.30
Vetch (Recleaned)	4.40

FLINT CORN

	(BAGS 12C EACH)
Argentine Small Red (orig. bags)	2.95
Argentine Small Red (Recl'd)	3.10

LAWN MIXTURES

(Freight Paid)

Old English Lawn Seed

The Grade accepted by the majority. Found to be best adapted to the Eastern U. S.

PER 100 LBS

In bulk 50 lb. bags	\$20.00
" " 20 lb. "	20.50
" " 10 lb. "	21.00
Packed 5 lb. canisters	22.00
" " 2 lb. "	23.00
" " 1 lb. "	24.00

Green Grass

In bulk 50 lb. bags	16.00
" " 20 lb. "	16.50
" " 10 lb. "	17.00
" " 5 lb. "	18.00

Competition Brand

In bulk 50 lb. bags	12.00
" " 20 "	12.50
" " 10 "	13.00

Old English Evergreen

In bulk, 50 lb. bags	25.00
" " 20 lb. "	25.50
" " 10 lb. "	26.50
Packed 5 lb. "	28.00

Old English Shady Spot

In bulk 50 lb. bags	30.00
" " 20 "	30.50
" " 10 "	31.00
" " 5 " canisters	32.00
" " 2 "	33.00
" " 1 "	34.00

Old English Terrace

In bulk, 50 lb. bags	30.00
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Old English Seashore

In bulk, 50 lb. bags	28.00
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BIRD SEEDS**BIRD SEEDS**

(BAGS INCLUDED)

INOCULATION**JELLY CULTURES**

For inoculating all legumes. When ordering Inoculation state kind of seed to be inoculated.

Mulford Cultures

	For Small Seeds [Clover, Alfalfa, etc.]	For Large Seeds [Soja Beans, Cow Peas, etc.]
SIZES		
1/2 bu.	.36	
1 "	.60	.36
2 "		.60
2 1/2 "	1.35	
5 "	2.40	1.35
10 "		2.40

STIMUGERM

(LEGUME INOCULATION)

1/2 bu.	.40	.24
1 "	.67	.40
2 1/2 "	1.50	
5 "		1.50
10 "	5.36	

DRY CULTURES**NITRAGIN**

1/2 bu.	.45	.30
1 "	.70	.50
5 "	3.35	1.75

*W. S. Sweeny's
Inoculator*

1/2 bu.	.30	
1 "	.50	.30
2 "		.50
2 1/2 "	1.15	
5 "		1.15

PACKAGE BIRD FOODS

Per carton of 2 doz. 2.16

PREPARED BIRD FOODS

PER DOZ.

Bird Manna (1 doz. on card)	1.25
Bird Bitters	2.00
Color Food for Canaries	2.00
Fish Food in wafers	.60
Mite Powder	2.00
Moulting Pepper	2.00
Nestling Food	2.00
Powder Guns	1.00
Parrot Food (in Cartons)	1.40
Parrot Biscuit (in Boxes)	3.30
Red Gravel	.60
Silver Gravel	.60
Silver Pebbles for Aquariums	1.00
Song Restorer	1.25

A special list on prepared bird foods is available to those interested. The list also contains quotations on the new style bird bath. A copy will be mailed on request.

BULK BIRD SEEDS

See column 5.

SUPPLIES**BINDER TWINE****(AAA DUTCH)**

Dutch Binder Twine is superior to most domestic twines because of its greater tensile strength and its great yardage per pound. It is smooth, free from lumps and smooth running from the beginning to the end of every ball.

AVAILABLE IN 5 AND 8 LB. BALLS	PER BALE
1 to 199 Bales	Booking Basis
200 to 479 Bales	1929 Opening
480 Bales (Carload)	Price.

Subject to a discount of 5% if paid within 10 days from date of invoice.

COTTON BAGS

PER 100

Seamless, 16 oz.	\$35.00
Mended Seamless 16 oz.	15.00
Towel Bags, 1 bu	30.00

FERTILIZERS, ETC.**Old English Sheep Manure**

PER 100 LB.

Ton Lots	2.25
Less than Ton Lots	2.35
Freight Paid	

BONE MEAL

100 lb. bags	2.70
Freight Paid	

VIGORO

PER 100 LBS

100 lb. bags	\$.3.50
50 "	4.00
25 "	4.60
5 "	6.50

Freight Paid

**Lōma**

beautifies lawns and gardens



A scientifically prepared plant food—rich in nitrogen, potash and phosphates—odorless—convenient to apply.

WHOLESALE RETAIL

5 lb. cartons	.42	.60
10 " bags	.70	1.00
25 " "	1.40	2.00
50 " "	2.45	3.50

Freight Paid

COATED ARSENATE OF LEAD

for Eradication of Beetles

1-lb. jars paste (2 doz. in case)	per case	\$10.00
2 1/2-lb. jars paste (1 doz. in case)		

per case.... 9.00

10-lb. lots	per lb.	.25
25-lb. lots	"	.18
100-lb. lots	"	.14

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A NEW YEAR!

***All signs point to a greater prosperity for the farmer
during 1929. It will be our endeavor to be
of ever greater service.***

The Philadelphia Seed Co., Inc.



